



## Mysteries: Gr. 4-6

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*\* This book is part of a series or trilogy*

**Allison, Jennifer**

### **GILDA JOYCE, PSYCHIC INVESTIGATOR \***

During the summer before ninth grade, intrepid Gilda Joyce invites herself to the San Francisco mansion of distant cousin Lester Splinter and his thirteen-year-old daughter, where she uses her purported psychic abilities and detective skills to solve the mystery of the mansion's boarded-up tower.

**Buckley, Michael**

### **THE FAIRY-TALE DETECTIVES \***

Orphans Sabrina and Daphne Grimm are sent to live with an eccentric grandmother whom they have always believed to be dead.

**Cheshire, Simon**

### **THE CURSE OF THE ANCIENT MASK AND OTHER CASE FILES \***

Saxby Smart is no ordinary ten-year-old. He's the best detective in the world, or at least the best one who also happens to be in elementary school.

**Clements, Andrew**

### **ROOM ONE: A MYSTERY OR TWO**

Ted Hammond, the only sixth grader in his small Nebraska town's one-room schoolhouse, searches for clues to the disappearance of a homeless family.

**Duncan, Lois**

### **NEWS FOR DOGS**

Andi is excited when the newspaper for dogs that she and her brother Bruce start becomes a big success, but when a group of dognappers appears on the scene, Andi and Bruce work to uncover the culprits and rescue the dogs.

**Ferraiolo, Jack**

### **THE QUICK FIX**

When the star of the basketball team is blackmailed, it is up to Matt Stevens, the lone voice for justice in corrupt Franklin Middle School, to uncover who is behind the scheme.

**Gibbs, Stuart**

### **BELLY UP \***

Twelve-year-old Teddy investigates when a popular Texas zoo's star attraction--Henry the hippopotamus--is murdered.

**Grisham, John**

### **THEODORE BOONE: KID LAWYER \***

With two attorneys for parents, thirteen-year-old Theodore Boone knows more about the law than most lawyers do. But when a high profile murder trial comes to his small town and Theo gets pulled into it, it's up to this amateur attorney to save the day.

**Kennedy, Kim**

### **MISTY GORDON AND THE MYSTERY OF THE GHOST PIRATES**

While assisting her father, an estate and antiques dealer, teenaged Misty discovers a journal and pair of glasses that allow her to see ghosts, including those of pirates who founded her New England town and who are seeking a golden statue with mystical powers.

**Kirby, Matthew**

### **ICEFALL**

Princess Solveig and her siblings are trapped in a hidden fortress tucked between towering mountains and a frozen fjord, along with her best friend and an army of restless soldiers, all awaiting news of the king's victory in battle, but as they wait for winter's end and the all-encompassing ice to break, acts of treachery make it clear that a traitor lurks in their midst.

**Konisburg, E.L.**

### **FROM THE MIXED-UP FILES OF MRS. BASIL E. FRANKWEILER \***

Having run away with her younger brother to live in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, twelve-year-old Claudia strives to keep things in order in their new home and to become a changed person and a heroine to herself.

**Lacey, Josh**

### **THE SULTAN'S TIGERS**

Tom, who comes from a long line of criminals, travels with his roguish uncle to India to find a family treasure--an antique jewel-encrusted tiger stolen from the sultan's throne hundreds of years ago.

**Mack, Tracy**

### **THE FALL OF THE AMAZING ZALINDAS \***

The ragamuffin boys known as the Baker Street Irregulars help Sherlock Holmes solve the mysterious deaths of a family of circus tightrope walkers.

**Madormo, John**

**THE CAMP PHOENIX CAPER**

Twelve-year-old Charlie Collier sets up his private detective practice in his parents' garage to solve his fellow sixth graders' challenging cases.

**McAlpine, Gordon**

**THE TELL-TALE START \***

Edgar and Allan, the great-great-great-great-grandnephews of the famed writer Edgar Allan Poe, discover that they are entrapped in a nefarious plot that has been going on since their birth.

**McCall Smith, Alexander**

**THE GREAT CAKE MYSTERY**

Before becoming the first female private investigator in Botswana, eight-year-old Precious Ramotswe tracks down a thief who has been stealing her classmates' snacks.

**Messner, Kate**

**CAPTURE THE FLAG \***

When the original Star Spangled Banner is stolen, seventh-graders Anne, José, and Henry, all descendants of the Silver Jaguar Society, pursue suspects on airport carts and through baggage handling tunnels while stranded at a Washington, D.C., airport during a snowstorm.

**Newsome, Richard**

**THE BILLIONAIRE'S CURSE \***

When thirteen-year-old Gerald finds himself the heir to twenty billion pounds from an aunt he never met, he inherits with it a mystery surrounding his aunt's death and various powerful artifacts in the British Museum.

**Raskin, Ellen**

**THE WESTING GAME**

The death of an eccentric millionaire brings together an unlikely assortment of heirs who must uncover the circumstances of his death before they can claim their inheritance.

**Spencer, Octavia**

**THE CASE OF THE TIME-CAPSULE BANDIT**

Twelve-year-old ninja detective Randi, unhappy about moving from Brooklyn to Deer Creek, Tennessee, after her mother's death, soon finds new friends and a case to solve surrounding a stolen time capsule and rumors of a centuries-old treasure.

**Timberlake, Amy**

**ONE CAME HOME**

In 1871 Wisconsin, thirteen-year-old Georgia sets out to find her sister Agatha, presumed dead when remains are found wearing the dress she was last seen in, and before the end of the year gains fame as a sharpshooter and foiler of counterfeiters.

**Turnage, Sheila**

**THREE TIMES LUCKY**

Feisty, eleven-year-old Mo LoBeau and her best friend Dale turn detective when the Colonel, her step-father, is implicated in a murder.

**Van Drannen, Wendelin**

**SAMMY KEYES AND THE KISS GOODBYE \***

Sammy Keyes has spent the last few years solving other people's mysteries; now her friends (and some foes) come together to unmask the fiend who has put Sammy in a coma. Note: this is the finale to an amazing 16-book series.

**Ward, Matthew**

**THE FANTASTIC FAMILY WHIPPLE \***

Unlike his fantastic family of world record breakers, Arthur Whipple has yet to set a single Guinness world record. But when the Whipples suffer a spate of catastrophes and a curious amount of attention from a pair of irregularly sized and unusually menacing clowns, Arthur might be the only one who can save his family from losing their collective crown...or worse.



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